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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Responsive to the Office Action of September 20, 2007, please enter the following amendments and remarks into the file of the above-identified application.

This response includes:

Amended Claim Set; and

Remarks.